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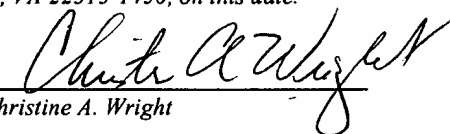
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DISPLAY MONITOR**

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed January 1, 2004, and the Advisory Action mailed May 20, 2004, Applicant submits the following RCE and preliminary amendment.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 4 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.